

Form BC 126 4311 June 1954

#### BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-13-64

Call letters KDRY

Station location Alamo Heights, Texas

Name of licensee NATIONAL ENTERPRISES, INC.

Transmitter location Intersection of Missouri Pacific Railroad and Nacogdoches Rdvy Alamo/

Main studio location KTo he determined, Alamo Heights, Texas (BRC 8-15-63)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

					MARKET AND LOCAL PROPERTY.
Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From To
BP-15423	6-18-63	1110ke	1kw	Day	8-18 2-18-64
	CP for a	new stan	dard bro	ndcast st	tion (Cond'1)
BP-15423	8-1-63	Mod. of	CP(SP-1	5.423) to	assign Call
(1)		Letters			
BRC-2297	8-15-63	Mod. of	CP(BP-1	,423) to	specify studie
(2)					Genter, 5170
	-	Breadway	, Alamo	Heights,	Texas.
PL-10311	2-13-54	1110ke	1ku	Day	2-13 8-1-65
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	a new st	andard b	roadcast	station.	
BR-4311	7-2-65	Renewa.	of Lic	ense	8-1 8-1-68
BZ-6517	8-23-67	Auth.	oceter	nine opera	ting power by
(1)_				ant. powe	8-1-71
BR-4311 (L)	7-22-68	Renewal	of Lice	nse	8-1-/1
PSA	1-27-69	500w	(Prote	cted stati	on KFAB)
BR-4311(	s) 7-29-71	RENE	AL.		8-1-74
	6-12-7				
BR-4311(\$	3)7-31-74	RENEWAL			8-1-77
EZ-8798 (L)	9-/0-/	Direc	t Measur RENEWAL	ment	8-1-80
BR-4311(S)	7-14-77 VH 7-18-8	757 -			8-1-83
BR 000320					
					SALES NO.

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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			Action	
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
RF-15,523 Reold Filed		Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1110kc  Power - 1kw  Hours of operation - Paytime  Type transmitter - Continental 31h D  Trans. location - Intersection of Missouri  Pucific Railroad and Nacogdoches Rd.  Alamo Heights, Texas  Ptudio location - To be determined  Alamo Heights, Texas	GRANTED Cond'I re: Operation.	6-18-63 Pre-sunrise
AMENDED R.&F.	4-2-62	Amended to dec. hgt. of antenna.		
		P. C. C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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Name NATIONAL ENTERPRISES, INC.

ALAMO HEIGHTS, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature Date	
ERC-2297 Rec'd Filed	8-3-63 8-6-63	Mod. of CP(BP-15,423) to specify studio location as Alamo Heights Center, 5170 Broadway, Alamo Heights, Texas, and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	8-15-63
		Ray R. Paul, Atty.		
BL-10,311 R. & F.	10-3-63 10-4-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,423 rs mod) which auth a new standard broadcast station. Atty- Prince & Paul	GRANTED	2-13-64
BR-4311 Rec*d	4-26-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-2-65
Filed	4-30-65	Attys. Prince & aul		
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Ac: Nature	Date
TP- Secia		OF to increase poler from 1km to 10km (Sky C) install Directional Actor of Octor (A-1), install new trans. (Jates MC-10P). Ally: Prince & Faul Engr: S. Harold Name. dr.		73.187
BZ_6517 R & F DM_8/1/67	7/19/67 7/21/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power.	GRANTED	8-23-67
A STATE OF THE STA	4-19-68 4-26-68 2-26-68	Atty: My A. Faul	GRANTED	7-22-68
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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NATIONAL ENTERPRISES, INC. Name ALAMO HEIGHTS, TEXAS Action File No. Dated Application for Nature Date BR-4311 4-15-71 RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRANTED 7-29-71 ATTY-PRINCE & PAUL RAF 5-3-71 PN 5-3-71 Press MAY 1 3 1971 BR-4311 4-17-74 RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRANTED 4-19-74 PN Recd. APR 2 6 1974 PRESS GRANTED EP-Construction permit to increase daytime Waiver Dommed power from 1kw to 5kw, change type transmitter appli, RETURNED 10-14-75 \$400-488135 Req. Waiver of Sec. 73.37 of the rules AC-001 PN rec'd 11=13-75 Eng.

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	O HEIGHTS, 1			
		Application for		
BR-4311 R & F		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	
PN Recd. PRESS				
	MAY 7 1977			
PRESS APR	2 9 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	
BTC810420GK Form 316 PRESS MAY	- 6 1981	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic corp by Dr. Sam Morris thru sale and a gift of stock to Sam Morris, Jr., Jewel R. Morris, and Diana Rainey		
		At ty-		
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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Name: NATIONAL ENTERPRISES, INC.

Stotion Locotion: ALAMO HEIGHTS, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
810624AA		Construction permit to chg hrs of operation to unlimited by adding nighttime service with lkw; increase day power to 2.5kw; install DA-N; chg frequency from 1110khz to 1100khz; chg TL: Lookout Road, San Antonio, Texas, and make chgs in antenna system.  29° 33' 26" 98° 22' 35"  MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION UNDER SECTION 1.1305	
	7-13-51	Public Notice	
			Form BC-121 March 1979

#### **About the History Cards ...**

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form -3" by 5 " filing cards - for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

